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...G. W. RICHARDSON
...Towns, Town of Greenwood.

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BUSINESS SPECIALS.
Under this head business notices inserted
at 5 cents per line. Seven words to the line.
Try the Two Orphans cigars at Beck's.
He has the agency.
Monarch paint contains pure lead, zinc
and linseed oil, nothing else. Sold by
Wm. C. Leavitt.
Best 25c white on earth, Chase's.
One set second-hand light driving har-
nesses, cheap. At Hobbs' Variety Store.
Sweet peas and nasturtium seeds in
bulk. These and all other kinds Rice's
flower seeds in packets. F. P. Stone.
Buy your spring overcoat at F. H.
Noyes Co.'s Blue Stores. They are sell-
ing coats that you will like.
Best wearing men's hostery, Chase's.
Kid gloves, new spring shades, Thom-
as Smiley, Norway.
Delphos oil cans are safe for kerosene
or gasoline. Sold by Wm. C. Leavitt.
F. H. Noyes Co. sold the new rain coat,
good for pleasant and stormy weather.
Call and see them.
Best axe handle in town sold by Wm.
C. Leavitt.

Painters wanted, call on G. W. Chaney.
Dr. Danforth's Tonic Bitters and other
spring medicines. F. P. Stone.
Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines for
sale by Thos. Smiley. See ad.
Wanted to receive bids for painting the
shoe factories. For particulars call on
C. N. Tubbs.
Another lot of gold fish is expected to
arrive about April 15th at F. A. Shurt-
leff & Co.'s drug store, South Paris.
J. A. Roberts wants a farm hand, a
good milker and strictly temperate. 14-15
Hartman's Cash Store, not more at
place in town. See ad.
Wash boilers 89c at Beck's Bazaar.
Belts, latest styles, Thomas Smiley.
Syrup cans, sap buckets, sap spouts at
Wm. C. Leavitt's.
For the toilet use Velvet Cream, for
sale at the Noyes Drug Store.
Fetch in your tinware to be repaired,
always ready, Wm. C. Leavitt.
Clothing was never cheaper than this
spring. You will be convinced of the
fact when you see the good values they
are selling at F. H. Noyes Co.'s Blue
Stores.
Jewelry 10c at Beck's Bazaar, regular
price 25c.
Ladies wishing Easter millinery can
have orders attended to at Mrs. Hills.
F. H. Noyes Co. have such a large as-
sessment of suits, so many new and neat
patterns that you can surely find some-
thing to please you there.
Horse whips from twenty-five cents to
one dollar, Wm. C. Leavitt.
Velvet Cream costs only 25c a bottle at
the Noyes Drug Store.
Water sets at Beck's Bazaar, 98c.
Buy your paint stock of C. N. Tubbs
& Co.

For Easter you will need a new hat,
new necktie, new shirt, new spring over-
coat. F. H. Noyes Co. have the correct
styles in these goods at reasonable prices.
A first-class twenty-five cent whip sold
for a quarter and worth it, Wm. C. Leav-
itt.
Furthest, freshest, best candy, Chase's.
Date of Mrs. Hills' spring millinery
will be announced next week.

NORWAY AND VICINITY
Stephen L. Eberidge has resingled his
residence on Hazen street.
Ross L. Bickford of Rumford Falls
spent Sunday with his brother Will.
Grace K. Noyes went to Lisbon,
Monday, where she has been engaged as
trimmer in a milliner store.
The old passenger depot at Portland
that is being torn down was built by
contractor Ezra Beal of Norway.
George E. Austin.
George E. Austin died at his home on
Main street, at an early hour of Tuesday
morning, after a long illness, of several
months. He left a wife, nee Charlotte
Everett, and one son, George H. Austin.
Another son, William E. Austin, died in
November, 1898, leaving a large machine
shop business which had since been con-
ducted by the father as administrator.
Mr. Austin was sixty-four years old and
had always been a remarkably vigorous
man. For many years he was engaged in
the teaming business, and did a large
amount of work.
One brother and two sisters survive—
Sewell Austin of Norway, Mrs. Abbie J.
Cobb of Oxford and Mrs. Sarah Starbird
of Worcester, Mass.
The funeral was at the house, Thurs-
day afternoon.

Rev. Caroline E. Angell was called to
Pittsfield, Monday, to attend a funeral.
Asaph H. Witham has moved from
South Paris into the Ivory Smith house
on Pine street, which he recently pur-
chased.
Amrose B. Warren of Attleboro,
Mass., teacher in the high school, is vi-
siting during vacation his father, Wm. H.
Warren, who has been very sick for sev-
eral months.
Norway Municipal Court.
Deputy sheriff A. P. Bassett arrested
Lyman Irish of Fryeburg for cruelty
beating a horse. He was arraigned on
Monday morning, pleaded guilty, and
paid a fine of \$5 and costs, amounting in
all to \$20. He claimed that the horse
was beaten by another man, but as the
animal was Irish's, under his care, and
driven by him, and he was present when
the cruelty took place, the law held him
responsible.
On Tuesday, the regular monthly term
for civil business was held. Several
cases were cleared from the docket by
agreement or by default, and a number
of new suits entered. Decisions were
announced in the three cases tried on
appointed days during vacation.
Fledge v. Allen. Judgment for plain-
tiff.
Lafarier v. Elder. Judgment for de-
fendant.
Cummings v. Lafarier. Judgment for
plaintiff in the sum of \$14.
On Monday, Dana Ward of Harrison,
who has been wanted since Feb. 22, for
an assault committed in Norway at that
time, was located in Salmon Falls, N. H.
Deputy sheriff Cross was sent after him,
and on Tuesday afternoon returned with
Ward. Wednesday morning, he was ar-
raigned before Judge Davis and pleaded
guilty to assault with intent to commu-
tate. He was bound over to the grand
jury in the sum of one thousand dollars,
and not being able to furnish bail, went
to jail to wait till the October term of
Supreme Court. Ward is 21 years old,
and has previously been in State prison
for a similar crime.

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Easter at the Churches.
Next Sabbath will be Easter Sunday,
and as usual the churches will make spe-
cial observance of the day.

Norway Village.
Methodist—In the morning, sermon on
Christ's resurrection by Rev. Franklin
Eckert. Reception of members from
prohibition and by letter. The Lord's
Supper will be observed.
In the evening, Easter singing by a
chorus numbering a score of voices.
Mrs. J. D. Cragin, organist. Reading by
young ladies and speaking by the chil-
dren.
Baptist—Sunday afternoon, Easter
sermon by Rev. H. H. Bishop. Con-
gregational singing. Sabbath school and
evening prayer-meeting as usual.
Congregational—In the morning, ser-
mon by Rev. Bates S. Rideout from
words of the Apostle Paul: "And last
of all, He was seen of me, also, as one
born out of due time."
The choir—Louise M. Staples, sopra-
no; Gertrude McArdle, alto; Chester W.
Horne, tenor; Herman L. Horne, bass;
Mrs. Herman L. Horne, organist and di-
rector—will give the following music:
Voluntary—Festal March—Richmond.
Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Doxology—Old Hundred.
Solo—Easter Dawn—Woodman.
Response—Savior, Listen to our Prayer—Cogg-
well.
Offertoire—Hallelujah Chorus—Hendel.
Hymn—Postlude.
In the evening, a sacred concert by
the choir, with speaking by several
young ladies, and a short talk by the
pastor. The musical program will be:
Voluntary—Pour la Fete de Rameau—Griseu.
Anthem—Christ, the Lord, is Risen To-Day.
Response—Thy Life was Given for Me—Gut-
ter.
Solo—Anthem—Easter Triumph—Holden.
Solo—I Know that My Redeemer Liveth—From
The Messiah—Handel.
Offertoire—Hallelujah Chorus—Hendel.
Hymn—Postlude.
Universalist—In the morning, sermon
on an Easter topic by Rev. Caroline E.
Angell. The sacrament of the Lord's
Supper will be observed. The choir—
Mrs. Frank Kimball, soprano; Agnes J.
Beal, alto; Frank Kimball, tenor and di-
rector; George A. Briggs, barytone;
Mrs. W. W. Walker, organist—will give
the following music:
Voluntary—Christ our Passover—Shepherd.
Solo—Heavenly Dream—Faine—Mrs. Kimball.
Easter Carol—Schneider.
Response—Hanscum.
Offertoire—Rise to Him.
Easter hymn—The Magdalene—Warren.
Postlude—Allegro—Farmer.

At 7 o'clock in the evening, concert
with the following program:
Voluntary—Festal March—Richmond.
Scripture—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Prayer response—Solo—Easter Dawn—Woodman.
Recitation—Annie Dore.
Song—Marion Hamer, Clara Hathaway.
Recitation—Mortie French.
Oratorio—The Song of Redemption—Pitts-
field.
Solo—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Recitation—June Leavitt.
Song—The Lord is Risen—The Briggs.
Solo—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Festal—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Solo—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Reading—Miss Angel.
Quartet—The Strife is O'er.
Benediction—March—Koskoff.
Postlude—March—Koskoff.

South Paris Village.
Methodist—Sunday morning, Easter
sermon by Rev. Abel W. Pottle. Com-
munion of the Lord's Supper. The
choir—Sue Wheeler, soprano; Mary Mc-
Ardle, alto; Lednard S. Sessions, tenor;
Harold R. Eaton, barytone; Mrs. Her-
man E. Wilson, organist and director—
will give the following music:
Voluntary—Wagner.
Anthem—Ring, Bells of Easter—Gabriel.
Solo—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
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Offertoire—Wey.
Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Postlude—Wey.
In the evening, concert with this order
of exercises:
Voluntary—Ring, Bells of Easter—Gabriel.
Prayer—Response—Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Response—Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Responsive Scripture reading.
Song, with violin obligato, Leonard S. Sessions.
Reading—Duet—Mary and John.
Responsive reading—Carrie Gray.
Solo—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Solo—Anthem—Vake, Thou that Sleepest—Allen.
Collection for missions—Offertoire—Wey.
Singing—Coronation.
Benediction.
Postlude—Wey.

Congregational—In the morning, East-
er services conducted by Rev. William
Brooks, D. D. The male quartet
choir—James Dunn, first tenor; H. C.
Howe, second tenor; W. H. Cook, bary-
tone; F. E. Hall, bass; Mrs. Cora S.
Briggs, organist and director—will give
the following music:
Organ Prelude.
Sentence—With Heats Uplifted.
Anthem—Awake, Thou that Sleepest—Maker.
Response—At the Cross—Rom.
There will be communion service and
reception of new members, during which
the quartet will sing appropriate selec-
tions.
The evening service will be a special
Easter concert by the children.
Roman Catholic—Mass will be cele-
brated at 10:30 a. m., by Rev. James A.
Flynn, priest. Perhaps other services.
Baptist—In the morning, Rev. Thom-
as J. Ramsdell will preach from Leviticus
xxiii, 10-11, and 1 Corinthians xv, 20.
The choir—Charles E. Tolman,
director; Jessie Clare Tolman, organist—
will give special Easter music as follows:
Voluntary—Our Thoughts—Cramer.
Anthem—Consider the Lilies—Excell.
Contralto solo—Ease to Face—Johnson.
Solo—Jessie Clare Tolman.
Offertoire.
Duet—Trusting—White.
Mrs. Cora Everett, Clayton Churchhill.
Quartet—Risen—Emerson.
Lullaby—Lullaby—Emerson.
Postlude.

In the evening, the regular monthly
meeting.

Frank R. Taylor attended a meeting of
Portland Lodge of Elks, Tuesday.
Alice I. Frost is at home from Bates
College to spend spring vacation of one
week.
Mrs. Jason H. Perry, who has been
visiting at Hebron and Mechanic Falls,
has returned to the Beal's Hotel.

The school at Norway Center will open
for the spring term ten weeks on Mon-
day, April 8, Bessie B. Towne, teacher.
Levi Frost has returned from the Swift
River lumber region, where he has been
driving team for over five months past.
Mrs. G. L. Walker, who has been visit-
ing friends and relatives at Mechanic
Falls and in this vicinity, has returned
to Boston.
Medicine Co.'s cart advertising
Brown's Instant Relief will go on the
road as soon as the traveling will admit.
It will be driven as usual by John H.
Murdoch of Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Asa True and son Harlie accom-
panied her mother, Mrs. L. B. Swett,
of Paris, on a visit to relatives in Law-
rence, Mass. They started on Thursday
morning and expect to be gone several weeks.
The men got up the Universalist circle
at Concert Hall, Tuesday evening, and it
proved to be one of the largest of the
winter. An elaborate salad and cold
meat supper was served, followed by the
customary promenade concert.

Station agent Chandler calls our atten-
tion to a story on the street to the effect
that the Grand Trunk Ry. has increased
the fare between Norway and South
Paris. He says that he hasn't heard of
any increase and is still selling tickets
for 5 cents.
The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs.
Dexter Andrews, Friday evening, April 5,
for their regular meeting. It is hoped
a large number will be present. The
membership committee—Messrs. Smith, Blod-
get, and Cummings—will be at the meet-
ing, and arrangements will be made for
the social on Patriot's Day.

The Mothers' Club meets every second
and fourth Wednesday of each month at
2:30 p. m. in Grange Hall, and each
meeting is closed promptly at 4 p. m. The
next meeting comes on April 10th.
Mrs. W. E. Jones will read a paper on
"How to Feed Our Children." All wom-
en are cordially invited to attend. Do
not stay away because of children to
care for or work to do. Bring your chil-
dren and work, whether it be stockings to
darn or crochet-work.
Sixty-six dollars and some odd cents
was a freight bill which A. C. McCrellis
recently paid to George F. Hathaway, all
in coin, mostly half dollars. Mr. Hath-
away naturally didn't like to lug around
so much weight for even a few hours,
but Mr. McCrellis said he would make
that all right. So the next day he
brought up a cornball for the railroad
freight agent; a cornball as big as a can-
non ball and sweet enough to subdue a
disposition many times surer than Mr.
Hathaway's. It is on exhibition at the
freight depot.

Mothers' Meeting.
The Mothers' Club held its regular
fortnightly meeting in Grange Hall,
Wednesday, Mar. 27, at 2:30 p. m. The
subject for consideration was, "How to
Feed Our Children." The meeting was
opened with Scripture reading by Mrs.
W. F. Jones, vice-president, who pre-
sided in the absence of the president,
Mrs. Charles Crosby by Rev. Mr. Fickett.
Mrs. Crosby was elected treas-
urer of the club.

Rev. Mr. Fickett of the Methodist
church gave the principal address, and
his words were full of worthy and prac-
tical suggestions. Some of the ideas
pressed were as follows: Not only does God, to
whom we owe our very existence, re-
quire that we should spend that day in
special worship of Him, but our phys-
ical natures demand one day out of
seven in which to rest our bodies, nerves,
and minds. The divine law tells us to "Remember
the Sabbath day and keep it holy." Our
State is direct and plain in regard to
the observance of the Lord's Day, providing
that—"Whosoever, on the Lord's Day,
keeps open his shop, work-house, ware-
house, or place of business, hails, does
any work, labor or business on that day,
except works of necessity or charity;
or is present at any dancing, public diversion,
show or entertainment, shall be pun-
ished, shall be punished by fine not ex-
ceeding ten dollars."

On Saturday night one should get
ready for Sunday by laying aside all se-
cular things possible. Not in the week-
end should we be thinking of the day should be
a joyful one, praising the Lord for our
blessings. Especially should Sunday be
a day of joy to children. More at-
tention should be given them on that
day. Special Sunday lessons should be
taught. The children should be told them.
People are more impressionable in child-
hood than in after-years, so religion
surely should be taught the children.
All traffic in business, fishing and lum-
bering should be put aside, and when
very young the child should be taught
reverence for the church and Sabbath
school. Mothers with young children
should not feel obliged to stay at home
for the pastor is always glad to see the
little ones at church.

At the close of Mr. Fickett's talk Mrs.
W. F. Jones read a sweet little poem by
Margaret Sangster entitled "The
Children at Church," also the following
suggestions from Mrs. F. H. Deane, of
Paris, N. H., D. D. of Parity:
"Prepare all of your Sunday dinner
that is possible on Saturday. Secure
for your children Noah's Ark, the Tem-
ple blocks and explain the building; un-
til they can tell the story which the
building maps of Holy Land and
pictures of Bible stories and books to
be used only on Sunday."

The discussion which followed was
interesting, and was mainly on dressing
the children. The ideas given were that
all people and especially children should
be dressed, not for show to attract at-
tention, but neatly and for comfort.
One should not stay at home, but
church members should wear fine and
fashionable clothing to wear, for people
as a whole do not go to church for the
purpose of criticizing the clothing of
others.
The next meeting will be held in
Grange Hall, Wed. Apr. 10, at 2:30 p. m.
The subject will be "How to Feed Our
Children," and the chief address will be
by Mrs. William Frost Jones. All wo-
men are invited.

Virginia H. Sargent entertained her
music scholars at her home on Cottage
street, Wednesday evening. The party
numbered twenty and they had a merry
time with games and a little music.
Light refreshments were served. The
last act was having their pictures taken
by flashlight.

Coming Poverty Party.
The next social event that we know of
as yet will be a Poverty Party which will
take place, Fast night, (whenever that
may be) at the Opera House.
The special feature of the evening
will be the quaint and funny costumes
and the diversion will be dancing.
Jay's Orchestra will furnish excellent
dance music, the tempos being right up
to the latest dances of the season.
The entertainment will be under the
management of Jay's Orchestra, Jason
Jay, promoter.

W. Wilfred Walker closed his labors
in the store of Henry J. Bangs, Saturday
night, and went to Boston on the early
train, Monday morning.
Thomas Smiley has been discharged
from the Maine General Hospital at
Portland, being in good condition ex-
cept weak. He is at the home of his
sister, Mrs. Boyd Hunt, in Portland,
and will visit his brothers, David O.
Smiley and Joseph S. Smiley, at Fitch-
burg, Mass., before returning to Norway.

Public Library Officers.
The annual meeting of the Board of
Management of Norway Public Library
was held on Saturday forenoon at the
selectmen's office. The Board consists of
Selectmen—Darius S. Sanborn, Henry M.
Johnson, Edwin Brown.
School committee—George E. Tubbs, Stephen
B. Cummings, William F. Jones.
Library trustees—Martin L. Kimball, Blod-
get, Bradbury, Horace G. Dinmore, Bates S.
Blodget, Eugene F. Smith, Horace S. Perry.
The Board organized by electing last
year's officers:
President—Mr. Perry.
Vice-President—Mr. Rideout.
Secretary—Mr. Jones.
Treasurer—Col. Smith.
Executive committee—Messrs. Smith, Jones
and Sanborn.
Book purchasing committee—Messrs. Kim-
ball, Rideout and Cummings.

Margaret and Jennie Baker spent Sun-
day in Portland.
Mrs. Frank E. Bell joins her husband
in Portland this week.
Albert P. Bassett has been appointed
police officer to enforce the town by-
laws. We hope that he will do some
actual enforcement. There is need of it.

The following appropriate lines were
received on the First Day of April. It
was type-written on Norway National
Bank stationery, and we attribute the
kindness to Miss Pike:
April phool was born, this month—
A simpleton, but clever;
At all seasons years of age,
He's just as big a phool as ever.
—Josh Billings.

Warrants are posted for the annual
meeting of Norway Village Corporation
to be held in Norway Hall at 7 o'clock,
Monday evening, April 8. The articles
provide for electing officers, hearing re-
ports, light and water contracts, pay of
fire department, a proposed new street
light on Water street between the saw
mill and the cornshop, tax interest, to
see if we will regularly have printed re-
ports for each year hereafter, and last
but by no means least, raising money.

Annual Stockholders' Meetings.
The annual meeting of the stockholders
of the Norway and Sanborn Shoe Shop
Cos. was held in Engine House Hall, last
Monday evening.
Following officers were chosen—Chas.
F. Bidlon, president of the Norway Shoe
Shop Co., and E. W. Sanborn, president
of the Sanborn Shoe Shop Co.; J. A.
Stearns, clerk; H. D. Smith, treasurer;
and C. N. Tubbs, C. M. Smith and F. W.
Sanborn, directors for both corporations.
The dividend on the Norway Shoe Shop
shares was declared on stock of the
Sanborn Shoe Shop Co. of record of April
1st. Dividend to be paid, May 1st.

Mrs. Matilda Ward from New Gloucester
is visiting at Porter Seavey's.
The Norway selectmen are taking the
town's annual valuation.
Dr. Annette Bennett has been reap-
pointed town physician for another year.
Walter S. Stearns tells us that there
will be a dance in the opera house, Satur-
day evening.
Mrs. Emma J. Smith of Lisbon Falls
has bought the Mrs. Turner house on
Danforth street.
A. Edwards & Son and Henry J. Bangs
are lighting their stores with new model
gasoline lamps.

Geo. A. Brooks has rented his house
on Fair street to J. E. Henry, who moved
in, the first of this week.
James D. Bosworth of Sumner has
returned home after visiting Porter Seavey
and other friends in Norway.
Tuesday, Claude Haskell went to Port-
land and enlisted in the United States
regular army. He will go into the cav-
alry.

George W. Locke and wife are in Bos-
ton, attending the annual meeting of the
supreme council of the United Order of
Pilgrim Fathers.
The ladies of the Congregational society
will have a circle, next Tuesday even-
ing. There will be a baked bean and
salad supper served, followed by an en-
tertaining.
For the month of March 225 round
trip and 434 single tickets were sold
at the Grand Trunk station between Nor-
way and South Paris. This makes a to-
tal of 884 fares between the villages.

Mt. Hope Rebekah Lodge will observe
the lodge anniversary, April 11. Rebe-
kahs who may be in town, and husbands
of Rebeakahs are expected to attend. The
Lodge at South Paris will come in a
body.
Loren Newell, an Indian, who has lived
in Norway at different times for several
years, and is engaged in the business of
basket-making, was married, Saturday
evening, by town clerk C. G. Mason to
Lillia E. Lord.
Fred Woodbury, who worked in the
cutting room at the shoe factory, several
years ago, is now working for the Rad-
cliffe Company. It is understood he will
move his family here, later. Mrs. Wood-
bury will be remembered as Eva Bick-
ford. She was a graduate of Norway
high school.

SOUTH PARIS.
The rest of the village schools will be
open next Monday.
Alfred J. Bigelow is working in a bar-
ber shop at Lewiston.
Thursday afternoon, the W. C. T. U.
meets in Relief Corps hall.
Byron A. Evans moves his family to
Rumford Falls, this week.
Walter Starbird is in the barber shop
of Guy Buck learning the trade.
Bertha Rideout entertained the Ep-
worth League, last Thursday evening.
Dr. George H. Bailey of Portland was
at Mountain View Stock Farm, last
week.
Howard Wheeler is at home from St.
Johnsbury, Vt., for a vacation of a fort-
night or three weeks.
Grace Thayer has returned from New
York, where she took a course of instruc-
tion in an embalming school.
Charles E. Bennett and family have
moved from the Maxim house on High
street to W. H. Swett's farm.
Mrs. William P. Morton has returned
from a visit of several weeks with re-
latives in New Jersey and New York.
George W. Cook has sold the double
tenement house, where he formerly lived,
on Church street, to Eben H. Marshall.

South Paris Savings Bank.
The annual meeting of South Paris
Savings Bank Corporation was held at
the banking rooms in Pythian block,
Thursday, March 28.
There were five vacancies in the incor-
poration, caused by the deaths of Henry
F. Morton, Samuel F. Briggs and Jarvis
C. Marble, and the removals from town
of Joshua A. Lambe and Harlan P. Den-
nison, which were filled by electing to
membership in the corporation, Leander
Billings, Franklin Maxim, Charles H.
Howard, George W. Frothingham and
Ernest P. Parlin.
Trustees were reelected, as follows:
Henry E. Hammond, Albert W. Walker,
Wm. N. Thomas, George W. Stillman,
N. Dayton Boster, S. Porter Stearns,
Wm. J. Wheeler, George A. Wilson.
John F. Hummer.
The trustees organized by reelecting
officers as follows:
President—N. Dayton Boster.
Vice-President—Ernest P. Parlin.
Treasurer and Secretary—George M. Atwood.
The treasurer's books show deposits
on March 31, amounting to \$282,919.42,
an increase of \$10,439.93 from a year ago.
Howard Swan and wife have gone to
Bethel, where they will work at the
Locke Mountain House during the sum-
mer.
A. H. Witham has sold his stand on
Pleasant street to Thomas W. Stillman,
who has been living there for several
months.
Maxim & Russell is the firm name
now at the Shurtleff grain mill on Skil-
lings avenue. The new proprietors took
possession on Monday morning, April 1.
J. F. Howland was at Mountain View
Stock Farm, several days last week. Mr.
Howland is advertising his stallion,
American Law, which will make the sea-
son there.
Mabel G. Hathaway and Iva McArdle
are at home from Massachusetts for short
vacations. They are teachers, Miss
Hathaway at Quincy and Miss McArdle
at Braintree.
Elwin Hubbard of Lovell visited his
sisters, Mrs. George F. Eastman and
Carrie Hubbard, last week. He is a
member of this year's graduating class
at Bridgton Academy.
I. W. Fogg and wife and daughter of
Gorham, N. H., were guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Herman E. Wilson over Sunday.
Hattie Wilson and Rita Hall of Berlin,
N. H., were also guests there.
Hattie Haskell is at Cape Neddick
visiting Mrs. William Haskell, who was
formerly Miss Ronney, a teacher in
South Paris high school. Before return-
ing home, Miss Haskell will visit friends
in Portland.
Public Library Building.
On his visit to town, last week, J.
Frank Rowland talked freely about his
proposed to give South Paris a public
library building. It has been generally
supposed, for some time past, that Mr.
Rowland was the man who had made
the offer to the library officers.
The real question is a lot. Mr. Row-
land wants the people of the place to
furnish a lot—a good big lot, with room
enough for the library building to stand
by itself in good shape, and have a good
lawn around it, and that lot must be
convenient to the heart of the village.
There is no talk about the lot but one
to fill the requirements has not yet been
found.
Mr. Howland's ideas are for a building
of cobble stones, to cost about \$10,000,
making a unique, handsome and sub-
stantial structure.
Ernest J. Record is at home from
Massachusetts for a few weeks.
It is rumored that Charles W. Bowker
will resume business at the old stand,
Joseph Harlow, who has been sick in
bed a month or more, is able to sit up.
The Baptist people are planning an
enlargement to the vestry of their meet-
ing-house.
Rev. Dr. Brooks will go to Chicago,
next week. He expects to spend several
weeks there.
Julia F. Morton, school teacher, is at
home from Abington, Mass., to spend a
short vacation.
Frank R. Witham has the contract to
carry the scholars from the Bolster dis-
trict to this village.
Mrs. Percy Walker, who has been dan-
gerously sick for several weeks past, is
recovered and has moved his family to
Fred Chasley has moved his family to
Malden, Mass., where he has been work-
ing for several weeks past.
Herbert Hillier has moved from the
Stowell house on Church street to Capt.
H. N. Bolster's two-story house on Myr-
tle street.
Dea. Charles E. Tolman and daughter,
Jessie Clare Tolman, drove to Harrison,
Maine, Saturday afternoon, to see his mother,
who was sick.
Rev. Dr. E. S. J. McAllister of Pine
street Methodist church, Portland, open-
ing the second lecture course of the sea-
son, in the Methodist church, Monday
evening, with an address on the twenti-
eth century problems.

The W. R. C. have a special meeting
for initiation, this Friday evening. There
will also be initiation at the regular
meeting on Saturday evening.
Our Bates College students, Alta C.
Walker, Wendell Rounds, A. Keith Spof-
ford and Ethel Dean are spending the
short vacation at their homes.
The fifth annual meeting of South Par-
is University Extension Center was held
on Wednesday evening. Elected:
President—Henry Fletcher.
Vice-President and press correspondent—Mrs.
George K. Morton.
Secretary—Mrs. Henry Fletcher.
The annual meeting of South Paris
Board of Trade was held on Tuesday
evening. Elected:
President—N. Dayton Boster.
First Vice-President—James S. Wright.
Second Vice-President—J. Hastings Bean.
Secretary—George W. Frothingham.
Treasurer—John F. Hummer.
An oil portrait of the late Henry F.
Morton hangs in the store of John
Pierce. It is nearly life size, and is an
unusually fine portrait, the artist having
caught the exact expression commonly
seen on Mr. Morton's face. It was paint-
ed by Freeland Q. Andrews.
Milton Morton is able to get out doors.
He was hurt, Feb. 20, by a board thrown
from the big circular saw at the sled
factory. It struck him in the side and
broke three ribs. Mr. Morton is 70
years old and a semi-invalid. The hat
was passed around in the sled factory
and \$45 secured for him.

BETHEL.
A. Twitchell, esq., of Gorham, N. H.,
was in town, last Saturday.
George A. Plaisted has been sick with
pneumonia since Saturday, Mar. 30.
The first maple honey made its ap-
pearance in the village, last Saturday,
brought by Samuel Bell.
Oxford Pomona Grange met with
Bethel Grange, last Tuesday. A large
attendance came from the surrounding
subordinate granges.
Our fire alarms sounded at 7.15, Wed-
nesday morning, which brought out
both fire companies. The fire was in
the Blue House was on fire, having
caught in or near the attic, probably
from a defective flue. Both companies
worked with a will, but the roof was
perforated before the fire was
extinguished. The house was
frenched from top to basement. The
furniture was nearly all removed. In-
sured.

Col. Clark S. Edwards has sold to his
sons, A. M. and Fred L. Edwards, a val-
uable tract of about three hundred acres
of timber and grass land.
A musicale will be held, the first of
May, at Odell hall; to consist of an op-
eretta entitled "Love and Whisk," the
parts taken by well-known Bethel sing-
ers. Mrs. E. C. Rowe and Mrs. George
E. King are directors. It will be given
for the benefit of the Universalist soci-
ety.
At a meeting of the Bethel Village
Corporation held, Monday evening, it
was voted to purchase the Benson store
property, so-called, on Main street, for a
house for the hose company in the
lower part of the village. The property
will have to be considerably remodelled
for this use. It was owned by F. N.
Jordan of Powall.
A hundred and fifty couples, many of
them from out of town, attended the
gentlemen's ball in Odell hall, Thurs-
day evening, Mar. 28. This was given
by thirty-five gentlemen of Bethel. The
receiving committee was Dr. C. D. Hill,
Goodwin R. Wiley and Elmer Young.
Music was by the Berlin orchestra, giv-
ing a concert from 8 to 9 o'clock, and
after that playing for the dance till
11 o'clock. Refreshments were served.
There were many attended along the
line from Berlin, N. H., to Paris and
Norway, and several from Lewiston.

MIDDLE INTERVALS.—M. Osgood re-
cently lost a horse.
Charles Demeritt of West Bethel was
here, the last of March. He is looking
for a farm as he has sold his at West
Bethel.
ALBANY.
H. O. Wilbur has sold his cows to A.
S. Cole.
M. R. Wilbur was at his father's, Sat-
urday night.
Will Grover was at Abel Andrews, the
first of the week.
Daisy Cummings is at home from
Bethel for a short visit.
Several of our people attended Pomo-
na Grange at Bethel, Tuesday.
John Flint has returned home from
Roxbury where he has been working,
this winter.
J. W. Dresser has finished his job at
Roxbury and with his family moved into
Daniel Clark's house.
Abel Andrews, Leman Dudley

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From Chicago, Montreal and Quebec, 6.05 a. m.;
From Island Pond and way stations, 9.33 a. m.

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For Chicago, Montreal and Quebec, 7.45 p. m.;
For Boston, 9.40 a. m.

ARRIVALS.
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From Chicago, Montreal and Quebec, 6.05 a. m.;
From Boston, 9.40 a. m.

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Soldier's Daily Life.

Troop F, 7th U. S. Cavalry.

Havana, Cuba, March 19, 1901.

Since my last letter we have been quite busy. We have a target range about 8 miles from camp, and up till to-day we have been down to it. I am shooting a great deal better this year than last.

At 100 yards I made 8884 (20 shots) first kneeling, second standing; at 200 yards, 25 sitting, 32 standing; at 300 yards, 42 sitting, 30 standing; 20 shots at each range. That makes over 70 per cent. 67 per cent. required for sharpshooter, but I guess I will drop at 600 yards. Last week a ricochet (a bullet striking the ground and going up in a different direction) killed a Cuban's cow yesterday the commanding officer stopped all shooting until something can be done to stop killing any more cattle.

We are now doing our track drills, monkey drills the boys call it, so once more I am going to try and break my neck.

Gen. Miles arrived at Havana yesterday. He went to the Isle of Pines to-day. Expect we will have to turn out for him soon.

There are a lot of the boys getting transfers for the new regiments but I guess the old 7th is good enough for me.

Every Tuesday we have practice marches and not less than 12 miles on that day, so you see I am getting pretty well acquainted within 40 miles or so around Havana.

On one trip we went to the Water Works which supply Havana and surrounding towns. There is a great freak of nature. Right out of the bed of a very small river is a boiling spring, around this is built a large tunnel and through it the water is taken to Havana. Now to look at this it does not seem much but when you come to consider that this little spring forces water to Havana and towns around it and no pump or steam is used, it is certainly a wonderful thing, and one can go there any day and look into the reservoir and see the water grows no higher or lower. We used to keep guard out there for fear some Cuban would put poison in the water, but now the rural guard take care of it. Nearly all the tourists who visit Havana never fail to visit the Water Works.

I was on a practice march to-day. We went to Cerro Vadado and home by the sea road making 14½ miles covered from 7 a. m. until 11 p. m.

Last night we had a dance, that is the Army & Navy Union did. It was in honor of our new garrison. The dance was a great success, with 22 couples.

The 7th string band furnished music. Ice cream and cake, chocolate and sandwiches were served at intermission.

I enjoyed myself better than ever before on the island. I was astonished to see so many American ladies.

The Regular & Volunteer Army & Navy Union is very new here, as only a weeks ago we received our charter for the headquarters of the union. I am a charter member.

The name of our garrison is Captain George D. Wallace Garrison, No. 197.

Capt. Geo. D. Wallace was an officer of 7th U. S. Cavalry. He was killed at the battle of Wounded Knee. We now have 40 members and more coming every meeting. I find all of them are a very fine class of young men. I guess we will stay here for some time to come.

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Children's Corner.

DEAR EDITOR:—As I have seen so many of the children's letters in the ADVERTISER, I thought I would like to write, too. I am 12 years old. My papa and mamma and little sister visited my grandma Allen in Stoneham, three days, last week, and my brother and I kept house. I like to go to school very much. I can knit, sew, sweep, wash dishes and make beds. I will close now.

Your friend, CARIE WHITNEY.

HARRISON, Me.

Norway, March 24th, 1901.

DEAR EDITOR:—We have 35 hens and pullets. I am seven years old. I have been to school, three years. I study arithmetic, geography, spelling, book, language book, and Dinah Rolfe, and I have given away two of her kittens.

NETTIE RUTH BEAN.

Bethel, Maine, Mar. 24, 1901.

DEAR EDITOR:—We did not go to church, to-day. I will send some school mottoes that Mamma gave me:

Do one thing at a time.

What you do, do thoroughly.

Not how much, but how well.

Study to be quiet.

Mind your own business.

Be gentle, be courteous.

Work while the day lasts.

Always be ready.

Excelsior—higher and higher.

Labor conquers all things.

Dare to do right.

As we sow, so shall we reap.

A tree is known by its fruit.

Diligence insures success.

Speak the truth, not the truth.

He lives long who lives well.

Be kind to each other.

Idleness is a crime.

Envy no one.

Imitate the good.

Then God sees me.

Study first, amusement afterward.

Learning is better than silver or gold.

A good name is better than great riches.

Fear God and keep His commandments.

I will close, so good-bye.

FLORENCE ELLEN KIMBALL.

Norway, Maine, March 30, 1901.

DEAR EDITOR:—Seeing so many children's letters in the ADVERTISER I thought I would write. I am a little girl nine years old. My mother and another lady had the circle, last Wednesday. There were twenty-three there. My school closed the 8th of April. I am going to commence the 1st of May. I am of dread it because it will be so muddy. Bessie Towne was my teacher.

From your little friend,

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RUMFORD FALLS.

Albert LeBrun is clerking in the People's Clothing Store.

Lumbermen are coming out of the woods in great numbers.

A big temperance meeting in Cheney opera house, Sunday evening.

Hulda Elizabeth Pettengill is at home from her studies at Smith College.

The paper makers will celebrate Easter Monday by a big ball in Cheney Hall.

Rev. J. D. Graham exchanged pulpits with Rev. H. L. Caultkins of Yarmouth, Sunday.

The building contractors have established a nine-hour day, beginning on April 1st.

A. B. Champlin of Worcester, Mass., is setting up machines for the Oxford Paper Co.

Dr. L. O. Lesieur has moved into one of the McKenzie houses on the Swift river road.

George C. Newton has retired from the management of the Cheney opera house. The place is taken by Norman L. Hayes.

B. F. Burbank of Dorchester, Mass., succeeds A. J. Bean as superintendent of the Fort Hill Chemical Company's mill in Rumford Falls.

Theodore Douglass of Mexico, a brakeman, lost a leg by falling between the cars and getting run over, while shunting freight in the lower yard.

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BRYANT'S FOND.

Laura Smith has returned to Mechanic Falls, last Friday.

Mamie Stevens is attending Gould Academy at Bethel.

Quite a large number of Franklin Grange attended Pomona at Bethel, last Tuesday.

Martha Kimball from Washburn in Aroostook county was expected at D. O. Dudley's on Tuesday night, to visit her mother.

Mrs. T. R. Day has returned home from Lewiston, where she has been for several weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grace Wing.

Rev. O. L. Stone will preach his last sermon, next Sunday, before the M. E. Conference, which will be held at Yarmouth, the last of April.

Ed. Bean is moving his family to his wife's father's, George Crockett's, to care for them in their old age. Guy Powers will move into the rent vacated by Ed. Bean.

Mell Abbott of Milton is in town on a visit.

E. Crooker is making repairs on his house.

Joshua Moody has been very sick, the past week.

Albert Park of Boston is staying at Dell Cole's.

C. R. Dunham of Norway was in town over Sunday.

Will Morse will occupy the rent over Andrews' store.

Several from here attended the Bethel dance, last week.

Guy Powers has rented the Farmum house on the corner.

Water Sessions returned, Wednesday, to Hebron Academy.

H. H. Crockett will make an addition to his house of forty feet, this season.

Enos Farnum of Milton is shipping chair stock from this station to Massachusetts.

Ola Dudley and Mrs. Harry Crockett went to Portland, Monday, for a few days stay.

E. Thompson and family have returned from Manchester and will occupy the E. Stephens farm.

Merrill and Granger Chase will build a dwelling house, this spring, on a lot bought of W. A. Billings.

William Jackson has rented the Galloway house and took charge of the North Woodstock post-office, Apr. 1.

The Woodstock & Greenwood Telephone Co. are getting ready to do business as soon as the ground settles.

CHASE DISTRICT.—Inez Casey will teach the spring term of school at North Woodstock and board a H. H. Cushman's.

Granville Felt came home, last Friday night, after the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Adeline Proctor.

R. C. Davis had 100 four barrels come from Berlin, N. H., last Monday. He intends to be ready for the apple crop in the fall.

Edith Cushman is taking music lessons of Lula Tuell of West Paris, also Bertha Stevens and Effie Davis. Miss Tuell comes to their homes.

Mrs. Alonzo Felt made a birthday surprise party for Eloise Tobin on her 10th birthday, April 1st. It was no April "fool" either. There never was a party who enjoyed themselves better than those young people did on that day. Games were played, and presents made to Eloise, and the entire day enjoyed by all.

FOSTER.—John Rice has gone to Sanford, painting for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rounds have been on the sick list, the past week.

Harry Sawyer of Limington has been visiting his father, Henry Sawyer, the past week.

Levi Cook of Cornish was in the place, a few days ago, to see about the damage done to the house of A. E. Rounds and A. C. Stanley.

John Stanley has bought the store of X. E. Sawyer, and A. C. Stanley has filled it with groceries, dry goods, boots, shoes and grain.

Those who are on the sick list are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rice, Harrison Guphill, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wentworth, Daniel Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stanley.

Thursday night, the 28th, about half past ten the people of this place were awakened by the cry of fire by Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rounds, the old store of Captain French being on fire. Had it not been for the heavy rain through the day the house of A. E. Rounds and A. C. Stanley must have been burned with the store. As it was the paint got badly scorched. The fire is supposed to have caught from a defective chimney. The rear of the store was occupied by John Rice as a paint shop and he had a can of kerosene there to be painted. We understand there was no insurance.

DEMAREK.—Mrs. Ella Berry is at work for Eugene Gray at Berry's Mills.

Henry Smith has gone to Cumberland Mills for a job of work.

Marshall Wentworth and wife went to Fryeburg, Saturday, and returned on Sunday.

Fred Sanborn and Augustine Ingalls commenced running their mills, Monday morning.

Prof. A. C. Eames of Potter Academy, Sebago, was in town and called on us, Saturday.

Dr. S. T. Brown went to Portland, Monday, also to Durham to see his mother, who is poorly.

Harlan Lord went to South Hiram, Saturday, to find a white headed calf to match one he has.

Foster Pingree has been for Brownfield with several loads of birch for Leonard Bradbury but the bare ground has stopped him.

Our high school taught by Percy Giles of Boothbay closed on Friday of last week and Mr. Giles started, Saturday, for home.

Mrs. Mattie Kelley and daughter Bertha and Mrs. Myra Wentworth visited at A. H. Witham's, Wednesday and Thursday, March 27 and 28.

Edwin Pingree went, Saturday, to Freeport to visit his daughter and family and on Monday will go to Monmouth to buy some cattle for breeding purposes.

In my items of last week I referred to the Gibson family as former residents here, and in my reference to the members of the family I unwittingly omitted the younger daughter, who married Jesse Howe, M. D., of Norway and died several years ago.

Advertised Letters, Norway.

Lillian Waldron, Mrs. Marinda Waldron, Miss Yeaton.

GROVER HILL.

Quite a family gathering at W. M. Browne's, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Channing Grover called at Grover Brothers', a short time since.

Mrs. Albert Haynes of Auburn was at Mrs. A. V. Walker's, Sunday.

George Bennett and sisters will not live on their farm, this summer.

True Browne has gone to North Waterford, where he has employment.

Winifred Browne is at South Albany with her sister, Mrs. Martha Sawin.

Chester Wheeler from Auburn has been visiting friends in town, the past week.

S. J. Walker and S. A. Haynes are at home, every Sunday, from Shelburne, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rice and daughters, Florence and Lillian Rice, from Waterford were here, last Saturday, to attend the wedding of Rufus Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert York of Norway were recently at Albert B. Grover's. They came to Bethel to attend the wedding reception of their brother, Channing Grover, South Bethel.

Wedding Bells.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Levi N. Bartlett, Saturday forenoon at half past ten o'clock, when their daughter, Maude Ava Bartlett, was united in marriage with Rufus C. Rice by the Rev. Arthur Varley. Only the nearest relatives of the contracting parties were present.

Their many friends in this place wish them a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Charles Rufus Rice is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rice of North Waterford. The bride was becomingly attired in her traveling suit of brown with hat to match, while the groom wore a suit of black, which was very becoming.

The wedding breakfast was served, furnished by the bride's parents.

The couple receive their friends after April tenth at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Fritz Tyler, at Bethel.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Stephen Merrill is quite sick.

Dell Walker has got a pair of well matched horses.

Ellsworth Farnum is hauling sawdust from North Waterford.

Randall Herrick, from Greenwood, is at work at Orin Brown's.

Walter Buck has tapped his maple trees. Herbert Holt has tapped a few in Mrs. Rolfe's maple orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Brown and daughter, Edna, went to the Advent conference in Oxford, last Saturday.

Albert Wiggin has moved part of his goods from A. A. Rolfe's to Bowdoin, where Mrs. Wiggin is at her father's, very sick.

Fred Merrill, from South Paris, who has been working at Dr. Walker's, has gone away, and Frank Shackley is working there for a short time.

WEST SUMMER.

Charles Starbird went to Auburn and bought a horse.

Walter Chandler has engaged to work for Bert Thomas.

Elmer Tuell and family have visited relatives here.

Mrs. Edgecomb, Mrs. Hazelton's mother, is very feeble.

Mr. French's daughter on the B. Y. Tuell farm is sick.

H. H. Heath and A. L. McLaughlin have been to Lewiston.

Frank Mayhew is engaged to work for R. N. Stetson for the season.

Geo. H. Packard is preparing to move back to his former abode.

Geo. E. Pulsifer has returned home from a business tour in this State.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dow spent a day lately with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Small.

Charles Thomas and family from Bridgton visited friends here recently.

Melvin Maxim is helping Mrs. E. G. Doble. Mrs. Doble's health is poor and has been for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Dunham have moved into the apartments over the upper store and will soon open the store for business.

W. Stanwood Field is home from Massachusetts on a vacation, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Field. Stanwood has a light attack of grip.

Lester Hazelton, who has been serving the U. S. Cavalry in Cuba, is at his father's, A. D. Hazelton's. Lester has been sick since his return from Cuba.

A. D. Hazelton will soon move into the Keene house.

UPTON.

Mrs. Wm. Durkee is ill with neuralgia in her head.

Town meeting, March 28, to choose a board of assessors.

Rev. Mr. Gifford has moved into Mrs. Champion's rent.

C. E. Ryerson's logging crew have moved out of the old starch factory has fallen under the weight of snow.

Bio Sanborn has purchased a horse of Mr. Cummings of Locke's Mills.

A surprise party was given Roland Burke, April 1st, to celebrate his 15th birthday.

John Coolidge traded his span of black horses with Dennis Kilgore of Newry for a span of grays.

Messrs. Benier, Lombard and Sanborn, who have been at Magalloway, gunning, have moved out again.

Ellsworth Lombard and family, who have been in camp on Black brook near Andover during the winter, have moved home again.

We have noticed several items of pickering fishing and think the following a good one. Three boys, Lewis McLeod, Cedric and Oscar Jenkins, aged 12, 9 and 8 respectively, went 2 1/2 miles from home, starting at 7 a. m., carried their dinners and didn't return until 7.30 p. m., catching 49 pickersel, 2 white fish and 1 sucker. The fish would weigh 75 pounds.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

Frank Stevens is at home at present.

Mrs. Abbie Washburn is at G. W. Q. Perham's at this writing.

I. W. Andrews & Sons have the cellar dug for the new house. H. Y. Bacon is stoning it.

G. W. Davis is making some changes in his house. He has let the pantry and in his house, and is now carrying them a good, large dining-room.

F. E. Davis went to Bryant's Pond, Wednesday, to put the switch into the post-office for the Greenwood Telephone Co. Mrs. Davis went with him and spent the day at J. L. Bowker's.

SWEDEN.

Robins and wild geese are with us again.

Stephen Knight and Harry Moore are both in poor health.

Waldron Charles will soon move to the place he recently purchased of Frank Douglass, this day.

Mrs. Rachel Knight, as usual, is the first to have her wood shed filled and "some to boot."

Ed Berry and wife, who have been at work at Fryeburg, have returned to their home in Sweden.

James Charles and Orse Andrews caught a nice string of pickersel, a short time ago, in Kezar pond. The largest one weighed 5 lbs.

Noah Smart and wife, who have been staying with their daughter, Mrs. Samuel Wiley of West Fryeburg, this winter, have returned to their home in Sweden.

Walter E. Gordon has just bought five nice cows. Something new for Walter as he generally keeps more horses than cows. He has a nice sow with a fine litter of pigs, ten in number, four weeks old.

Mrs. Lottie E. Smith, who is still at work in Bridgton, visited her parental home, recently. She has drawn two nice rugs, this spring, and is now braiding one. Mrs. Smith is 25 years old and now at work on her 25th rug.

Irving Chandler came home from Stow, Saturday.

Alice L. Perry is just home from a trip to Conway, N. H.

Mrs. B. B. Howe of Lovell recently visited at J. W. Perry's.

Our municipal officers took an inventory of the town, Monday.

L. S. Plummer is buying and packing apples for Boston parties.

Dea. Samuel Plummer is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Warren V. Kneeland of Waterford was at B. D. Knight's, Monday.

Jason Marr of Norway was in town, last week. His old neighbors were glad to see him.

Willie Mann has a new organ, which he purchased of the firm of Sears, Roebuck & Co.

Seth Brackett is at home from Andover, where he has been working in the woods, the past winter.

L. S. Plummer and family visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred B. Wiggin, at South Waterford, Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Jeffrey and son of Stoughton, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. Minot Nevers and O. R. Maxwell.

Those who have maple orchards in this section are working them, but have not had a large run of sap as yet.

Alvin S. Bailey has employment at H. E. Bisbee's mill. Mrs. Bailey is recovering from her recent attack of the grip.

Mrs. Stephen Chandler, who has been at H. Whitehouse's housekeeper, the past winter, returned to her home, Saturday.

Mae H. King and Abbie and Mae Woodbury have spent their ten days vacation at home and returned to Fryeburg academy.

Moses Smart of Fryeburg, who drives the timber in Kezar river to the Saco, with a crew of men started the drive, Wednesday, Mar. 27th.

March entered as Prof. Hicks predicted, in a high wind and snow squalls. At the present writing, there is comfortable sleighing in town, but the snow is fast disappearing from sun and wind.

Chas. H. Spears finished driving Mr. E. and J. W. Perry's team, Saturday. He has employment with Ernest Pike, South Waterford, who is sawing wood in Waterford and this town.

HANOVER.

About every one in the town are sick with the grip.

William Russell is sick with the grip, at this writing.

Ed. Hayford and Joe Montie have come home from the woods.

O. S. Dyke and W. C. Thomas have gone to the lakes to work.

Scott Howe is home from Locke's Mills on a short vacation.

The farmers are around selling some fine maple honey, this spring.

There was a whist party at the hall, last Tuesday night—a fine time.

The mills have all started up, and have plenty of water to run full blast.

W. C. Holt reports the hotel business good since he moved into the house.

H. A. Staples, who got hurt, last week, at Locke's Mills, is at work in his mill again, and is all right.

Mrs. Folsom, from South Framingham, Mass., has come here to take care of her daughter, who is very sick.

Frank Russell is gaining at this writing. He is able to sit up some now, and we hope to see him out before long.

A. G. Howe has commenced to work on the new camps at Toward's pond. He expects to have them ready by the first of May.

Wm. Rand killed a large-bow cat in his house, last week, with an ax.

W. C. Holt sent the cat to Nash of Norway, to be mounted. He was a fine specimen.

NORWAY LAKE.

Walter Frost is at work for Benjamin Tucker.

Artur Tucker was at his home over Sunday.

Mrs. F. E. Pottle returned from her visit in Auburn, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Flood visited at Roswell Frost's on Frost Hill, Tuesday.

The Y. P. S. C. E. has bought two new lamps for the schoolhouse of F. E. Pottle.

David Flood is working up his wood pile, and Warren Kneeland is working up W. S. Partridge's.

A. D. Kilgore is having the general epidemic. He was quite ill, Sunday, but was able to be at his shop, Tuesday.

A dozen of Ellen Partridge's neighbors met, last Sunday, and worked up her wood pile. Among them were two boys under ten years of age, who were very enthusiastic. The kindness is greatly appreciated by the recipient.

EAST OXFORD.

Frank Lennell is very sick with heart trouble.

Henry Young of Buckfield is visiting his sister, C. J. Young.

Ralph Young has returned from Gorham, N. H., where he has been at work, the past winter.

Mrs. Emma B. White and Mrs. Annie D. Hall of Lisbon Falls were the guests of Mrs. White's father, P. J. Billings, last week.

NORTH LOVELL.

Amos McKee is at home.

A nice lot of books for the Sabbath school library.

Dana Wilson has been driving the Lovell stage for a few days.

Elwin Hubbard of Lovell stayed at Marshall Evans', Thursday night.

Little Theana Farrington is sick. The doctor was there to see her, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Chandler has been staying at her brother's at Lynchville, a few days lately.

Bessie Heald of Lovell Center has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. David Lord, the past week.

J. Q. Mason will be mail carrier for the next four years from Lovell village to North Lovell.

W. C. Brown of Lovell Center was through here taking orders for room paper, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Belle McKee and daughter Marguerite have been visiting relatives and friends here, the past week.

Rather cold, squally weather. March went out like a lion, but the men that are lumbering are making a good use of the cold snap as it has frozen the snow and made quite good traveling again.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Roscoe Carver is at work for Mrs. Lois Littlefield.

Mrs. L. M. Sawin is the latest victim of the grip.

Marion Bennett of Bethel recently visited friends in this place.

Mrs. Ann Flint has hired Guy Bancroft for the summer season.

Winifred Browne of Bethel is visiting at her sister's, Mrs. L. A. Sawin's.

Charles Eames has been at work for F. M. Mosher at North Waterford.

Mr. Holden of Hiram was here recently and bought some cows and calves of J. F. Lord.

E. French is moving the dressing from his camp on the river road to his farm here.

Ernest Pike of South Waterford was at J. D. Horri's, last Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Horri, who has been severely lame, is improved in health.

John Grover, who has been at work for J. W. Dresser at Roxbury, this winter, has finished work for him and is going on the railroad as section hand.

Bertha Browne, who is at work for Will Chubbourn in Waterford, was at L. A. Sawin's, last Sunday, also Florence Browne of North Waterford and True Browne of Grover Hill, who is at work for James Browne at North Waterford.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Bessie Turner has gone to Auburn on a visit.

Martha Record is going to Massachusetts on a visit.

Marlin Dorr has hired out to Herman Morse for six months.

Mrs. R. J. Bicknell has returned from her visit at Rumford Falls.

Alton Damon is going to move down to his father's, this spring.

B. S. Record and Will Bisbee are both at work at Heald's saw mill.

Isaac Fuller has bought the Pinkney Bridgman farm and will soon move.

Lizzie Bonney and Eola Swallow are taking music lessons of Elva Heald.

Montelle Bradbury goes to Boston, the 8th, to clerk in his uncle's grocery store.

Charles Jordan was through our place, the past week, with samples of room paper.

Mayberry Mayhew is at home from Turner Center and is at work in Heald's saw mill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Record and daughter were at Mrs. J. E. Mayhew's, last Saturday evening.

Oliver Keen has gone to Mechanic Falls and opened a laundry there. He is one of our best young men and we all wish him success.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Passed by Evergreen Rebekah Lodge, on the death of Mrs. Rebecca M. Rice, March 3, 1901.

Whereas, our Heavenly Father has again permitted the messenger of death to enter within the portals of our fraternal circle, bearing away Sister Rebecca M. Rice to that home not made with hands—eternal in the heavens; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That as our links are being broken here one by one, casting many a shadow, we look upon the other side of the dark cloud, where we see the links forming into a golden chain, never to be broken, in which we hope to form a part.

MY CAPTIVE.

By JOSEPH A. ALTSHULER,
Author of "A Soldier of Manhattan,"
"The Sun of Saratoga," Etc.

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SHE WAS ASLEEP.

Having made these brave resolutions, I sat down on the stool and leaned my head once more against the wall, not because I was tired and sleepy, but merely that I might reserve my strength for a crisis, the most necessary thing in the world for a soldier, every man of experience knowing that an army fights better if it goes into battle well fed, well clothed and well rested. It was a good argument, that bore extension, and I closed my eyes that they, too, might have rest, for they felt weary and clogged. Then, do what I would or could, weariness and sleep took charge of me. Three muscles rose in open and defiant rebellion against mind and will. The combat was short and fierce, but matter triumphed over mind, and in five minutes I was in the midst of a sleep that was heavenly with rest, unpeopled by bad dreams, with my head back against the wall and my breathing long and regular. Meanwhile the bed of coals on the hearth grew smaller and paler. The rim of fire narrowed. Coals turned from red to black and then to gray and crumbled into ashes. The darkness crept up to the very edge of the hearthstone and then invaded it. The girl was completely in the shadows, and the pale glimmer of the fire was but a faint light left in the room.

The sleeping man and the sleeping girl were tired, very tired, and they slept soundly. If they had dreams, they were pleasant ones, and no thought of danger entered into them. The men around the campfire had moved away to the other side of the world, and the little cabin was peaceful for them, inside and outside. Sleeping thus, they did not see the men rise from the campfire and approach the hut, now veiled in a darkness which made such a movement safe. He reached the cabin without alarm or a sign from the watcher who was not watching, and at last the leader tried the shutter of the window. He pried at it with his knife and moved it a little. Then he put his ear to the crack and could hear nothing within. Replacing his ear with his eye, he could see the feeble glimmer of the fire and nothing more. He was sure that those whom he wished to take were asleep, and he exulted, for a fierce anger mingled with his cold desires to recapture both. He pried again at the window, and with greater leverage it yielded further, and wood scraped against wood. He stopped and listened again, but the inmates of the cabin never stirred.

Putting his ear to the wide crack that now intervened between the shutter and the wall, he listened again and heard the steady, regular breathing of some one inside and below. He knew it was the breathing of a sleeping man, too loud and strong for a woman, too even for one awake, and he reached up and pulled the shutter wide open on its rude leather hinges. Then he grasped the edge of the window with both hands and pulled himself up.

stead he dwindled away and became misty. With one great effort I threw him off my chest and sprang to my feet. My head struck against somebody else's head as I sprang up, and that somebody else swore an oath that had the savor neither of a nightmare nor a dream, but of reality. Cold air and moonlight rushed in at

leave this place while they are planning by the fire and their backs are turned to us." It was a bold measure, involving many risks, but I believed that it would succeed if we kept our courage and presence of mind. For at least two or three minutes they would think I was Crowder, victorious, and that would be worth much. When I had taken down the bar, I stopped a moment. "Keep by my side," I said. "Remember that we must become separated by no chance. Here, take this pistol! You can shoot, can't you?" She said "Yes" and took the pistol. Then I opened the door, and we dashed out, running with quick and noiseless steps across the open toward the wood, which rose in a dim line ahead of us. While the window opened toward the campfire of the besiegers the door did not, and we had gone perhaps 50 yards before they saw us. This I knew by the

surprised shout that came to us, and looking back I saw them hesitating, as if in doubt about my identity, and at last running toward their horses. I was glad that they would pursue on horseback, and I had taken that probability into consideration when we made our dash from the house, for even at the distance I could see that the dim wood looked dense and a poor place for the use of horses. "Courage, Julia!" I said, taking her hand. "In a minute or two we will be into the woods, and they mean safety." I looked back a second time. The guerrillas had reached their horses, mounted them and turned their heads toward us, but in doing it their time lost was our gain. Unless lamed by some unlucky pistol shot we would surely gain the wood. They fired once or twice, and I heard the thunder of their horses' hoofs, but I had little fear. I still held the girl's hand in mine, and she made no effort to draw it away. She was running with a firm, sure step, and, though her face was white and her eye excited, she seemed to retain both her courage and presence of mind.

The wood was not as far as I had calculated, and when our pursuers were many yards away we dashed into it at such headlong haste that I tripped over a vine and fell upon my nose, burying it in a pile of soft leaves, which saved it from harm. But I was up again, rejoicing at the accident, for in a wood interlaced with vines horses could make no progress. "I hope you are not hurt?" asked Julia anxiously. "Hurt? Not a bit of it!" I replied. "What a blessing these woods are! How dark it is in here, and what a blessing that is too!" In fact, the wood was our good luck and our best luck at that, for even we on foot found it difficult to make our way through it. A far we could hear the British cursing in profusion and variety as they strove to force their horses through the dense bush. "Hold my hand," I said to Julia, "for otherwise I might lose you in all this darkness and density." But instead of waiting for her to take my hand, which she might not have done, I took hers, and, bidding her, curving among the trees like a brook winding around the hills in search of a level channel. My object was to leave our pursuers at a loss concerning our course, and we soon ceased to hear their swearing or the struggles of their horses. I dropped into a walk, and of course the girl did likewise. "I think we are safe now," I said. "There is not one chance in a hundred to bring them across our path again. What a fine wood! What a glorious wood! There is no such wood as this in England. It grew here especially for our safety, Julia." "It did grow up in time," she replied, "but now that you think us safe again you can call me Miss Howard and not Julia." "That's true, and now that we are safe again I must ask you, Miss Howard, as an especial favor to me, to please omit holding my hand."

To be continued.

County Tax.

The county tax on the several towns, plantations and wild lands in the county is as follows, the rate being one mill and 66-100 on the dollar and the overlay \$183.37:

Towns.	Valuation.	Tax.
Albany	131,960	\$ 219.85
Andover	206,125	337.18
Bethel	207,456	346.77
Brownfield	246,063	406.68
Byron	389,270	646.17
Canter	83,122	137.08
Canter	246,063	406.68
Denmark	276,544	459.06
Dixfield	323,033	535.87
Fryburg	323,033	535.87
Gilead	133,750	222.02
Grafton	170,033	281.75
Greenwood	149,335	247.97
Hanover	79,405	131.50
Hartford	246,200	407.00
Leicester	203,339	338.53
Hiram	243,728	405.97
Mason	38,692	63.82
Mexico	27,225	45.30
Newry	117,673	195.35
Norway	1,202,505	2,004.20
Oxford	446,232	744.07
Paris	1,300,147	2,158.23
Perth	227,543	378.07
Porter	245,743	407.03
Roxbury	61,415	102.36
Rumford	1,716,745	2,848.30
Stoneham	79,033	131.30
Stow	120,828	200.47
Sugar	233,867	389.47
Sweeten	151,011	250.73
Upton	109,033	180.70
Watford	287,547	477.33
Woodstock	212,901	353.42
Milton Plantation	55,200	92.30
Totals	\$12,250,271	\$20,403.61

WILD LANDS.	Valuation.	Tax.
Fryburg Academy Grant	\$13,500	\$ 22.41
Riley Plantation	70,000	116.20
Andover North Surplus	35,000	58.11
Andover West Surplus	14,800	23.58
C. C. Surplus	73,750	122.43
C. C. Surplus	20,713	33.97
Richardson	58,700	97.44
Magalloway Plantation	32,180	53.13
Adamstown	88,300	144.99
Lincoln Plantation	64,369	106.83
Lower Cupanptic	64,300	106.71
Lynchtown	64,359	107.17
Bachelor's Grant	40,000	66.40

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Ferdinand Bellefontain has been having the grip.

Georgia Cushing is gaining, also Clement Bellefontain.

Douglas Cushing has been working for Charles Dunham, the postman.

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Edwin Rolfe went to East Waterford to visit his brother, H. O. Rolfe, last week. Fred Bellefontain went with him.

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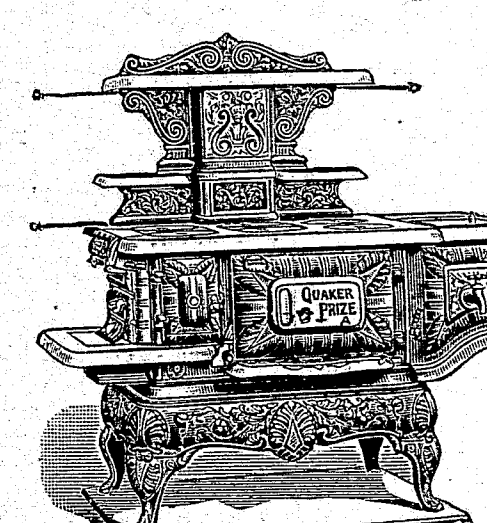
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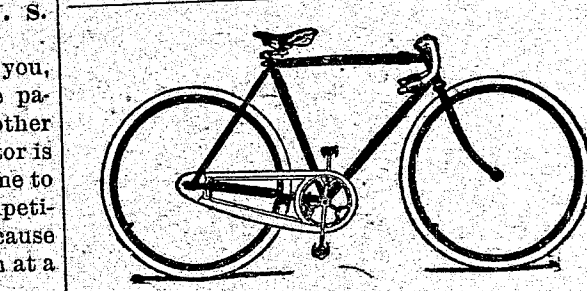
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BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Anna Pike has gone to Rumford Falls to marry a while.

Mrs. James Harlow has lately returned from visiting friends in Boston.

William Record, jr., comes out of his hospital repairs looking hale and hearty.

Rev. Mr. Munson's Sunday night service was especially designed for Masonic ears.

Mrs. Jeanette Atwood and Mrs. Abbie Tushman spent Sunday in the twin cities.

Dan Emery is moving from the Hersey place to Mrs. Alfred Shaw's rent in the village.

Howard Shaw is delayed from returning to his studies at Braintree, Mass., by reason of ill health.

Amy Shaw, teacher in Braintree, Mass., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Shaw.

Wilson Conant and A. F. Warren have bought the stand they occupy. Conant has the 2d story as a barber shop, Warren the ground floor as a harness shop.

A horse attached to a sleigh ran through the village, Monday, at a rapid rate. As he had just headed out into the country he stepped on the reins bringing him up short.

Geo. H. Hersey with four of his children and father-in-law, Mr. Lynch, arrived from New York, Saturday.

Hersey is going to renovate the buildings on his farm just a short distance removed from the village.

EAST OTISFIELD.

Ellis R. Stone went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Grace Wardwell returned to Edward Little high school, Monday.

Mrs. C. O. Martin and daughter Rena spent last week in Auburn.

Charles Bumpus from Oxford is building a piazza for S. D. Jilison.

Mrs. H. B. Briggs has been staying at T. J. Everett's, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Andrews have gone to Oxford to work for Henry Coy.

Blanche Spiller from Paris has been visiting at Nat Robinson's, the past week.

Mrs. S. R. Wardwell from Auburn has been visiting relatives and friends in this place.

Amy Wardwell who attends Bates College at Lewiston, is spending her vacation at home.

Joseph Gerrish has returned from Lebanon, N. H., where he has been for the past month.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Lafayette Littlehale is working for Andrew Jackson.

Will Williamson of Conway, N. H., is in town for a few days.

Rev. W. H. Congdon, Supt. of Schools, made us a very pleasant visit, last Monday.

Will Powers has returned from his logging operations in the Magalloway region.

Mrs. Teresa Grover of Bethel spent the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Brown.

George Spinney was in this place, last Friday, soliciting subscriptions to pay for a piece of land adjoining the parsonage lot which the Methodist society recently purchased. Mr. Spinney is very successful in business of this kind.

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OXFORD.

Hattie Farris is in Boston.

W. R. Farris went to Norway, Sunday.

Ethel Foster was on the sick list, last week.

Leander Wardwell has several little thoroughbred bird dogs.

Mr. Pinkham of Otisfield is now at Woodbury, N. H.

Robert Wardwell is confined to the house with a severe cold.

John Howe is in town, having finished work at North Waterford.

Mrs. Flora Martell joined her husband in Gorham, N. H., Saturday.

Fleurian Daniels of Lewiston spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noe, Daniels.

Henry Martell spent Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of last week in Oxford with his family.

Mrs. Lizzie Davis of Portland spent a few days of last week with her friend, Mrs. Benj. Flood.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Lennell of Otisfield called on their aunt, Mrs. Caroline Bumpus, Monday.

Mrs. E. R. Bennett, Elbridge Ed- ward and Arthur Towne have been ill during the past week.

Fred Cushman, who has worked at Mechanic Falls several years, is at home for a month's vacation.

Mrs. Winfield French spent a few days of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Will Dow of Palmouth.

Peter Vohue and son Eddie, Mrs. Edith Sawyer and Mrs. Will White went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Blanche Lord, who has been at home during a week's vacation, returned to her school in Auburn, Monday.

Mrs. Will White and daughter Leah of Dover, N. H., are the guests of Mrs. W.'s mother, Mrs. Sarah Irving.

Owena Whyte, who is attending school in Merrimac, Mass., is spending her vacation at her home in Oxford.

Rev. J. A. Libby of Poland preached a very beautiful sermon at the Advent church, Sunday—subject, Immortality.

The assistant postmistress, Elsie Peacock, has been at her home in Otisfield, the past week, with a brother who is ill.

Eliza M. Bowie is absent from her post at the woolen mill, caring for her mother, Mrs. Fred DeLano, who is still an invalid.

Harry Goodyear purchased, last week, from parties in Lewiston a thoroughbred bulldog, which is seven weeks old and weighs 20 lbs.

Mrs. Willard Mont was absent from the woolen mill, last week, to care for her husband and daughter, who are both ill with the grip.

Joseph Jacques has completed his cottage on the shore of Lake Umbagog. He expects to let it to pleasure parties during the summer months.

Mrs. Hattie Crockett was recently the recipient of a beautiful sofa pillow, which was made and presented to her by her sister, Mrs. E. R. Bennett.

Elmer Walker went to Westbrook, Monday, to attend the funeral services of his uncle, Thomas Babb, who died, Saturday. Mr. Babb was 93 years old.

Mrs. Walter Holden, who has been out of the woolen mill for several weeks, caring for her mother, her sister, and little daughter, who have all been ill, returned to work, Monday.

The Christian Endeavor Society presided at an Antique Supper, Saturday evening, for the benefit of the Congregational church. Forty dollars was realized and a very pleasant evening was reported.

Mrs. Nellie Farris came from Bangor, Wednesday of last week, to care for her son, F. W. Farris, who is still very ill with pneumonia. Alberta, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Farris, has also been ill with a severe cold, but is now much better.

Mrs. Geo. Jones opened her pleasant rooms to her Sabbath school class and the Methodist choir, Wednesday evening of last week. Games were played, fine selections were rendered by the choir of which Mr. Jones is leader. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess, and a good time enjoyed by all.

Anchor ice again interfered with work in the woolen mill, both Friday and Saturday mornings.

Schools will open, Apr. 20. We understand Lena Perkins will be retained in the primary department, the coming year.

Monday, for the first time, the Robinson Mfg. Co. used the Mechanic Falls electric power to assist their own in running the mill.

HEBRON.

Dr. Crane visited his daughter at Lynn, Mass., last week.

Kate Merrill had a very enjoyable party, Tuesday evening.

Prof. Sargent spent most of his vacation with Mrs. Sturtevant, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Eight teachers took the examination at the schoolhouse near the town house, last Saturday.

Daniel Bryant of Bates College 1904, Hebron, August 1900, is spending his vacation in Hebron.

Agnes Bearce was in Portland, Saturday, and on Monday went to Yarmouth to teach in the primary school there.

Augustus Tubbs, an aged and respected citizen of Hebron, died, last Saturday morning. The funeral occurred, Tuesday, at 2 p. m. Hebron Grange, of which he was a member, assisted in the ceremonies.

Master Drew Stearns accompanied by his mother, Fannie D. Stearns, and his grandmother, Rosa Donham, went to Auburn, Saturday, to assist in celebrating the 51st birthday of his great-grandfather, Drew Thompson, returning home on Monday.

Margaret L. Everett had a candy pull, last Saturday evening. Invitations were sent out, and it was a very enjoyable affair. Miss Everett was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Minnie Fernald. Besides candy pulling games were played, after which music was enjoyed by all. Miss Everett possesses an excellent soprano voice and goes twice a week to Norway to meet Prof. G. Frank Monroe, of Hazel Donham is at home on a vacation from Bates College. It is her second year there, and it is with pleasure that we learn of her success. She stands high in all of her studies and has gained the esteem and affection of teachers and students. She has always shown a wonderful aptness in debate for one so young, and has had great success in that line. She has won two prizes of \$10 each, one in speaking and one in debate, at the recent annual meeting of the Maine Association of Teachers. She is also a champion debater and took part in the last of the term. Miss Donham is the youngest daughter of Dr. Josiah C. Donham.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Bessie Hamlin returned to her school at Waterville, last Saturday.

George H. Rice went to Norway, last Monday, after a load of grain.

B. W. Rice has tapped several trees and so far has made some honey.

Olaf Saunders has been hauling bolts for M. M. Hamlin to the Saunders mill.

Fonti Manning is able to sit up after her severe illness of grip and neuralgia.

Mrs. Ellen R. Millett and daughter Celia have been visiting of late at Norway.

Henry Elliott has returned from Providence, R. I., and is boarding at David Lebroke's.

E. B. York's hired man cut his foot recently so that a surgeon was obliged to take five stitches.

Florence E. Rice, who was inspecting cans at Bethel corn shop, has returned to F. L. Edwards' for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rice visited their daughter, Mrs. Kneeland of Bethel, last week, also attended the wedding of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nason were invited to the concert and dance given by the gentlemen of Bethel at Odeon Hall, last Thursday evening.

Florence, Albert and Carl, children of James Brown, visited their grandfather at Grover Hill, Bethel, last Friday, returning on Saturday.

H. Blanche Millett of Waterville, who has been visiting her aunt at Bethel, is now at her grandparents' and soon will return to her home.

Mrs. J. F. Rice, who has been so very sick, is now, I understand, on the mending hand. She was out calling, one morning last week, on several of her friends in the village.

Our pastor, Rev. H. Gilpatrick, and wife are visiting their homes at Old Orchard and Biddeford. Mrs. G. was called to her home on account of the sickness of her mother. No services at the church while he is gone.

A deaf and dumb young fellow is calling on people about the land he hands you says he wants money to get through college with. Poor fellow is to be pitied, if he meant all right and wasn't trying to play jokes on people, this day being the 1st of April.

MASON.

Frank Bean and wife of Albany visited at E. I. Bean's over the Sabbath.

George Frost and wife of Norway visited at A. G. Lovejoy's, the past week.

A sociable and dance at Arthur Tyler's, last Tuesday evening. A good time is reported.

The scaler for the International Paper Co. was in town, last Saturday. This is his last trip for this season.

Vibert Mills is gaining slowly. He hopes to be ready for spring's work. He has been sick a long time.

Walter Strickland and Charles Haskell gave us a fine musical with the violin and organ, last Monday evening.

The teams are coming out of the woods, having finished their contract. They report a good winter's work.

Bill Grover was at West Bethel, last Friday and Saturday, helping his brother Roy move into the house that he lately purchased.

Walter Strickland and wife have hired with F. I. Bean for a month. Walter works in the mill and his wife will be housekeeper.

Mrs. Addison Bean's cosset sheep dropped a nice pair of twin lambs, last Friday. She has been offered \$10 twice for her, this winter.

Several of our farmers are buying hay to keep their stock out. Prices range from \$12 to \$16 per ton according to quality. We bought a ton of pressed hay for \$14.

Our selectmen were around, Monday, looking over the farmers' stock. They report stock as poor generally owing to the poor quality of the hay fed which was cut during the rainy time, last July.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Lumbering is about closed up.

Oscar Brown is very sick with rheumatic fever.

Martin York, a former resident, is in town visiting friends.

There will be six members to join the Grange at the next meeting.

Mary Glines, an aged resident, is sick requiring the aid of a physician.

Eggs are 14 cts. a dozen, potatoes 50 cts. a bushel, beans \$2.50 a bushel.

Mrs. Zula Haskell will go to a hospital in Lewiston for surgical treatment.

W. W. Watson, while at work in his mill yard, injured his foot quite badly but not seriously.

Henry Billings, who had charge of the Grange store, resigned a short time since. Loton Flint is his successor.

HARRISON.

Wagons are beginning to be used now.

Mrs. A. F. Whitney is at work at Hollis Caswell's once more.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Downs of Bridgton visited Blanche Cole, Sunday.

Lizzie Furzington is at work at Charles Hamlin's in North Bridgton.

Mrs. Cutter returned to her home at Westbrook on the last train Saturday night.

The F. B. pulpit was filled, Sunday morning, by two men from Shiloh. They also took an active part in the evening meeting.

The Willing Workers will hold an apron sale, also a sale of ice cream and cake at the F. B. vestry, Friday evening, April 5. Entertainment the same as usual.

Quite a number of our young people who have been away teaching or being taught are at home now on their vacations. Among them are Perley and Blanche Cole, Bertha Pitts and Etta Har- mon.

A stocking social was held at the Congregational vestry, Friday evening, Mar. 20. Each one paid as many cents as their stocking was long. There was just a social entertainment followed by a long supper. The receipts of the evening were about four dollars and a half.

EAST BETHEL.

Grace M. Swan is at home for a short vacation.

Mrs. E. C. Bean is visiting relatives in Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Sarah Farwell is visiting her son, Wm. Farwell, and family.

Porter Farwell visited the city of Berlin, N. H., last Thursday.

Mrs. M. E. Bartlett returned home from Portland, last Saturday.

E. Foye Brown is fitting up his home in this place for housekeeping.

Sugar making is in operation. G. K. Hastings has about three hundred trees tapped.

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